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Teachers' Examination for Milford. MILL RIFT, Pa., June 8, 1896. SECRETARY OF SCHOOL BOARD—DEAR SIR: I will hold a teachers' examination for Milford Independent District in the High School building on June 29.

Examinations for 1896 will be held as follows: Milford High School, June 29; Delaware, July 1; Meadow Brook, July 2.

Pine Hill Farm. G. E. Hursb, proprietor. Rose comb white leghorns, eggs for hatching, broilers in season and dealer in poultry supplies.

Never shrink from anything which your business calls you to do. The man who is above his business may one day find his business above him.—Drew.

DEMOCRATIC OPINIONS.

What Some of the Leading Papers Say of the Nomination of William McKinley at St. Louis. From the Philadelphia Times, (Dem.) It is, under the circumstances, an entirely logical nomination.

Abram S. Hewitt, ex Mayor of New York and ex-Congressman and one of the most distinguished and influential Democrats in the country writes the following letter to the New York Journal:

McKinley unquestionably embodies today more completely than any other public man of prominence the essential spirit of protectionism.

Garrett A. Hobart, the candidate for Vice President, telegraphs as follows to W. R. Hearst, editor of the New York Journal:

The people of New Jersey, whether they are or have been Democrats or Republicans, alike believe that the long years of adversity which this country is now enduring which have succeeded by years of great, if not greater prosperity than the United States have ever seen, if the administration will base its line of conduct upon the certain principles of protection and sound money.

On those two principles the Republican party makes its appeal to the people to help them bring the country back to better times and happier days.

The Republicans have nominated McKinley, with unanimity not expressed for any successful new candidate, with the exception of Fremont, the first Republican candidate in 1856 and Grant the third, in 1868. They alone were nominated for a first term on the first ballot.

The fortune of a name has given McKinley the unrivalled prestige of representing, beyond any other Republican, aimless, and utterly un-American politics of Grover Cleveland. Men like Thomas B. Reed and Levi P. Morton have lost in the lottery, and McKinley has won. Clevelandism has made McKinley.

Discretion in speech is more than eloquence. When you doubt, abstain.—Bacon.

OBITUARY.

DANIEL BAILEY.

Daniel Bailey aged 48 years, died at his residence near Glenwood in Vernon township, N. J., on last Friday evening of pneumonia. He was all his life a resident of that township and from a humble beginning as a farmer achieved great success as a peach grower and became one of the most successful farmers of the township.

The death of Mr. Bailey now makes a list of sad inroads upon the family circle. The funeral was held on Monday at his late residence and was attended by a very large concourse of neighbors and friends.

The funeral discourse was preached by Rev. T. M. Grenelle of Glenwood Interment in Glenwood cemetery.—Wantage Recorder.

The "Good Shepherd" in the Presbyterian Church.

No damper was put by nature on the happy exercises that took place on Sunday in the Presbyterian church. The beautiful weather was favorable to the large audience that gathered to witness and join in the observance of Children's Day.

The scholars of the school numbering over a hundred marched from the basement to the main floor of the church and occupied the front seats. The following programme was rendered:

Singing by the school. Prayer, Rev. Mr. Nichols. Mrs. Jardon then had her little daughter baptized.

The little ones in that department did remarkably well owing to the efficient instruction given them by their teacher, Miss Bull.

Mr. Nichols has the happy faculty of being able to express the deepest truths in language so clear and simple that the youngest children could not fail to be interested and that they were so could readily be seen by the rapt expression on their faces.

Mr. John Ryder was kicked on his arm by a horse last Saturday while leading it out to water, and is now rapidly recovering.

Corporal Robert Rodman, of New Hampton, N. Y., a student at the Bordentown Military Institute, recently received an honorable mention in the Philadelphia Ledger. He is the son of our first subscriber.

William F. Wade, the efficient and pains-taking foreman of the Union office at Port Jervis, called on the Press foreman Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kimball, of Matamoras, will celebrate the 50th anniversary of their wedding on Thursday, July 2nd, at the residence of their son, E. M. Kimball.

Fifty-two deaths are returned by the assessors as having occurred in Pike County from Jan. 1 1896 to June 1st.

PERSONAL.

W. V. Burcher of Rowland was in town this week. Joseph Johnson, the shoe man, was in town Tuesday.

Miss Lucy Kent of Paterson, N. J. is a guest at the Crissman House. J. G. Van Gorden of Matamoras was a caller at the Press Office on Wednesday.

G. W. Chamberlain, of Lehman, was a caller at the Press office this week. E. Pierson and Simon Lord, supervisors of Blooming Grove, visited Milford this week on business.

Mr. Arthur Wolf of Binghamton N. Y. has returned to Milford for the summer. The wife and child of Dr. Lawyer came down from Port Jervis Monday to reside with her husband.

Prof. John C. Watson has accepted a situation with Brown and Armstrong for the summer. Mr. Peter Flanagan, of the firm of Gunning & Flanagan' clothiers, Port Jervis, visited Milford Monday.

Mr. O. Brink of Yorkers, N. Y., is here to spend the "Fourth" with his family. Little Florence Lattimore has been seriously ill with the second attack of the measles, but is now recovering.

"I. Sickles," the Westfall correspondent for local Democratic newspapers, was a caller at this office Tuesday.

Chauncey Watson and Mrs. Flora Hoffman (nee Cortright), both of Milford, were married Wednesday of this week.

It is announced that Samuel Boser of Dingman township will soon lead to the altar Miss Cora Drake of Montague.

Harvey Klier, of Stroudsburg, delivered an oration commencement day at Lafayette College. His subject was "The Monk and the Martyr."

Hon. W. S. Kirpatrick, of Easton, was elected a permanent member of the board of trustees of Lafayette College at their meeting held Tuesday, June 16th.

John Whittaker and daughter Mrs. D. H. Hornbeck have gone to Newark, N. J., on a visit. Mr. Whittaker has a son William and a daughter Mrs. Fitch residing there.

Ralph Alton, of Brooklyn, is stopping at the Crissman House, where he arrived June 20, but registered under date of the 17th. There must be an alibi in the case.

Mark Ryder a 13 year old son of Mr. John Ryder was kicked on his arm by a horse last Saturday while leading it out to water, and is now rapidly recovering.

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BRIEF MENTION.

The picket fence near the church corner suffered again last week, by being hung upon.

Mrs. Howell and daughter, who disappeared from Deckertown, N. J., have not yet been heard from.

Illinois Democrats declared for free silver and renominated John P. Atgeld for Governor by acclamation.

Ex-Commissioner and Esquire Henry C. Knowling of Schenela, is reported dangerously ill. We trust we may soon chronicle his recovery.

Mrs. Fleming, who has been on trial in New York charged with poisoning her mother, was acquitted by the jury Wednesday morning.

In Central New York, cheese sells at 5 and 6 cents per pound and milk brings 50 cts per cwt. or 1/2 ct. per quart. Eggs bring 10 cts per dozen.

Gregory Bros. team attached to a harrow, ran away last Saturday. The horses plunged astride of a tree and one was so badly injured that it died.

Congressman Hart has secured two condemned cannon and two pyramids of cannon balls for the G. A. R. Post here. They will adorn Centre Square.

There is nothing new under the sun. They say bicycles are mentioned in the Bible. If you happen to have one turn to Ezekiel 10-9, and see for yourself.

Ten ladies of East Stroudsburg took charge of the street railway line, Saturday, as conductors, the company having turned all the proceeds of the road over for the day to a charitable object.

Candidates still "bob up." The last one is Louis J. Husson of Dingman township for County Treasurer. Come out gentlemen there is plenty of room. Let the people have a chance to select the best man.

The town council have put in a new culvert and graded up at the corner of Broad and Catharine streets. The work was supervised by Messrs. E. Warner and Thomas Armstrong and it is a good job.

Tramps attempted to hold up a freight train on the Erie near Gray Court last week, but the conductor got the drop on the leader, and the band hastily jumped off the caboose and ran away. Four were afterwards arrested and one escaped.

The number of guests registered at the different hotels at the Delaware Water Gap last week were: Kitatimny, 50; Water Gap, 45; Glenwood, 25; Central, 15; Mountain and Riverside, 23; Arlington, 7, and Bridge View, 1.

The house belonging to Mrs. Amanda Kibel, across the river in N. J. was struck by lightning on Sunday, and seriously damaged. One end was torn out, windows and doors broken, but strange to say the building was not set on fire.

The hills and grading up. Thos. Armstrong was the promoter of the scheme, and had several able and energetic assistants, and all worked with a will.

In Matamoras there is an curiosity in the shape of an "engine" on four legs and it cuts grass in a field. Occasionally long and short "boots" were heard in the night awaking good people and their beds shook with merry laughter and in the day time the "tuneful toots" were enjoyed by those who are suffering from blues. Robert Moore is the proud owner of that "braying donkey."

Thomas Dingley, of Port Jervis, N. Y., is a bicycle crank evidently. He daily takes his wheel a mile and a half west of the station on a narrow path, and races with the fast Wells-Fargo express. So far, he has always beaten it to the station. Should his tire strike a piece of coal, iron or stone ballast, and cause it to swerve two feet out of the way, Dingley would be ground to pieces. Should another train be going in the opposite direction and meet the racer, he would be killed.

The Glorious Fourth. Milford will have a grand celebration under the auspices of the Fire Department. There will be varied entertainments in the afternoon ending with a ball in the evening in Brown's Hall.

We have no desire to criticize but a number of citizens have expressed the wish that there might have been some exercises of a more literary nature. There are plenty of good singers here and some fine readers, who no doubt would on invitation sing some patriotic airs, and the Declaration of Independence could and should be read, even though no speakers able or willing to deliver an address could be found.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Matamoras. Frank Mueller et. ux. to Albert L. Jesko, dated May 4 Lots 19 and 20 con. \$9000 ent'd June 18.

Westfall. Anthony Reilly et. ux. to Joseph Reilly dated June 9 20 lots con. \$1 ent'd June 19.

Lehman. Elizabeth Brisco ad-ministratrix to Moses V. Brisco dated June 9 155 acres con. \$5000 ent'd June 19.

Lackawaxen. George H. Rowland et. ux. to Elizabeth Tanner dated Nov. 14 1887 2 acres con. \$1 ent'd June 19.

Westfall. Maurice S. Quinn et. ux. to Drusilla Quick dated June 10 3 acres con. \$50 ent'd June 20.

Lehman. William F. Overfield to Jeremiah H. Hinceline dated Oct. 21 1893 10 acres con. \$150. ent'd June 23.

William F. Overfield to Clara Hinceline dated March 2 2 acres con. \$69.90 ent'd June 22.

Lackawaxen. Asa Tyler et. ux. et. al. to Charles O. Wheeling dated March 6 1896 49 acres con. \$1 ent'd June 23.

Dingman. John E. Olmsted et. ux. to Frank R. Olmsted dated April 14, 35 acres \$1 and exchange ent'd June 23.

Palmyra. F. B. Singer et. ux. to Frank Denro, dated Dec. 14 1895 1 acre con. \$400 ent'd June 24.

Blooming Grove. H. Alfred Freeman et. ux. to W. S. Craft dated April 15 1892, lot in Brookwood, con. \$10 ent'd June 24.

AMONG THE HOTELS.

A List of Guests Who Are Now Staying at the Various Hotels in this Place. (Proprietors wishing a list of guests published, will please send them in not later than Wednesday evening.)

HOTEL PATRIEHE. Kinsley Twining and wife, Morristown, N. J. Robert Adams and daughter, New York. Walter Alkman, Brooklyn.

HOTEL PATRIEHE. James E. Horton, Alex. Ambler, Middletown, N. Y. L. F. Bingham, John M. Crane, H. W. Harris, Victor H. Ginn, East Orange.

HOTEL PATRIEHE. Frank E. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leib, Miss Leib, D. C. Foote, Mrs. C. J. Stover, and the Misses Stover, New York.

HOTEL PATRIEHE. Mrs. E. Brisco, Moses Brisco, Lehman, J. K. Lotter, N. Y. BLUFF HOUSE.

Frank F. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leib, Miss Leib, D. C. Foote, Mrs. C. J. Stover, and the Misses Stover, New York.

SAWELL HOUSE. James Pollock, wife and children, Wilkesbarre, Pa. Mrs. C. T. Falmage, Sommerville, N. J. John Bond, Caldwell, N. J.

IN WASHINGTON'S TIME. Fourth of July in New York City in the Year 1780.

The Fourth of July, 1789, was one which the New York citizens of that time long remembered. Geo. Washington was then residing in the city, having been inaugurated a few months previous.

The Society of the Cincinnati, at its dinner that day in the City Tavern, elected Baron Steuben president for the coming year, and he was delegated to bear the congratulations of the society to the president.

George Washington at that time was recovering from a slight illness and was unable to leave his house. In return to the message from the Cincinnati George Washington tendered the following reply: "I beg you, gentlemen, to return my most affectionate regard to the Society of the Cincinnati of the state of New York, and to assure them that I receive their congratulations on this auspicious day with a mind constantly anxious for the honor and welfare of our country and can only say that the force of my abilities, aided by an integrity of heart, shall be studiously pointed to the support of its dignity and the promotion of its prosperity and happiness."

The patriotic and thanksgiving services on that day were held in St. Paul's church, and Alexander Hamilton delivered the chief address of the day. Mrs. Martha Washington attended these exercises with Vice President Adams, the ladies of his family and many members of the senate and house of representatives.—Exchange.

OLD GLORY'S SIGNIFICANCE. It is the Symbol of Law and Liberty and Will Wave While Empires Perish.

Our ensign was never known as Old Glory until after it had been baptized in the tears, love and blood of the great rebellion. It is the symbol of life, law and liberty, of government, protection, right and righteousness—in short, of true Americanism, first and forever. It means progress in government, education, justice, morality and peace. It celebrates mental and moral victories no less significant than those triumphs of shot and shell. In origin and history it is closely identified with woman. Her hand fashioned it because her heart loved it, and on more than one occasion she has been ready to defend it, as Mrs. Day, Parson Brownlow's daughter, Barbara Fritchie and many other noble women have attested.

We have had great leaders, but we have also had a great flag. It expresses all that is noblest in self-sacrifice, greatest in heroism, sweetest in liberty and most inspiring in hope. It will continue to wave when thrones perish and tyrants, ignorance and superstition are no more.—Rev. J. Q. A. Henry.